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**Cc:** Jones; Vern O (DOA); 'Naomi Groom'; PTPManagement (DOA sponsored); dreynolds@gci.net

**Subject:** Atwood Underground Garage

**Importance:** High

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Thank you,
Tanci Mintz

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**To:** Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
**Subject:** FW: [ED_REVIEW] ED Review (05/23/08)

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**From:** Honeysett, Adam [mailto:Adam.Honeysett@ED.GOV]
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**Subject:** [ED_REVIEW] ED Review (05/23/08)

# ED REVIEW

**May 23, 2008**

**...a bi-weekly update on U.S. Department of Education activities relevant to the Intergovernmental and Corporate community and other stakeholders**

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## MIDDLE EAST TRIP

On May 16, Secretary Spellings became the first U.S. Secretary of Education to visit the United Arab Emirates (U.A.E.). Over the course of her five-day visit, the Secretary met with leading U.A.E. officials (including Prime Minister Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, her counterpart, Minister of Education Hanif Hassan, and Minister of Higher Education Sheikh Nahyan bin Mubarak Al Nahyan), visited three colleges (the American University in Dubai [AUD], the American University of Sharjah [AUS], and Zayed University), and, in a culminating event, signed a special, five-year Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Dr. Hassan to encourage greater educational cooperation and exchange between the two countries. "The U.S. and the U.A.E. share more than just a first name," she said at AUD's commencement ceremonies, where more than 400 students received their graduation certificates. "We are united in our strong belief in education. And, we have made parallel journeys to improve our schools at every level. In this competitive century, change happens, whether we are ready or not." The first area of focus for the MOU is math, science, and language studies. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://dubai.usconsulate.gov/spelling.html.

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## NCLB UPDATE

Earlier this year, the Secretary announced a differentiated accountability pilot program that would allow states to distinguish between low-performing schools in need of dramatic interventions and those that are closer to meeting the goals of *No Child Left Behind*. The law currently treats all schools in improvement alike. The pilot would allow states to vary the intensity and type of interventions to

match the academic reasons that led to a school's identification for improvement. And, in states with a significant percentage of schools identified, it would allow officials to target interventions and resources to schools most in need of reform. Seventeen states submitted proposals for consideration: AK, AR, FL, IN, LA, MD, NJ, NY, ND, OH, OK, PA, SC, TN, and VA for implementation in the 2008-09 school year and GA and IL for implementation in the 2009-10 school year. After reviewing the proposals for four basic eligibility criteria, the Department has submitted all 17 states to a peer review panel. The panel will meet in June to evaluate the proposals using the agency's guidance (http://www.ed.gov/policy/elsec/guid/daguidance.doc). After considering the peers' comments, the Secretary will approve up to 10 states to participate in the pilot. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://www.ed.gov/admins/lead/account/differentiatedaccountability/.

Earlier this month, the Department published a statistical summary of Highly Qualified Teachers (HQTs) with three state data tables. During the 2006-07 school year, 94% of core academic classes in the nation's schools were led by HQTs. A higher percentage of classes were led by HQTs in elementary school (96%) than in secondary school (93%). Also, at both levels, classes in low-poverty schools were more likely to be led by HQTs than were classes in high-poverty schools. The percentage of classes led by HQTs has increased seven percentage points since 2003-04. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://www.ed.gov/programs/teacherqual/resources.html.

Meanwhile, the Department has published Fiscal Year 2008 guidance for Title V, Part A of the *No Child Left Behind Act* (State Grants for Innovative Programs). The paper addresses the impact a lack of FY 2008 funding under Title V, Part A has on various flexibility provisions of the law and key requirements under the program. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://www.ed.gov/policy/innovative/titlevguidance2008.pdf.

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## STUDENT LOAN ACCESS

On May 21, as part of its ongoing commitment to make sure students have access to federal student loans in the coming academic year, the Administration announced a four-part plan aimed to improve the functioning of the student loan marketplace and provide liquidity and stability in the near term. This plan includes: (1) a loan purchase commitment by which the Department agrees to purchase new federal loans originated for the 2008-09 school year (with the price of the loan equal to the sum of par value, accrued interest, the 1% origination fee paid to the agency, and a fixed amount of $75 per loan) and a facility for providing short-term liquidity to lenders lacking access to affordable capital due to disruptions in markets; (2) a commitment to continue working with the lending community, to explore ways to reengage markets; (3) a strengthened "lender of last resort" program to help protect students from shifting market forces; and (4) increased Direct Loan capacity, should it be needed to act as an extra cushion for students. "We want students to be able to concentrate on their studies, rather than worry about disruptions in the market and whether they will be able to obtain federal loans to help pay for school," Secretary Spellings said in a statement. "At the same time... we can also consider this a teachable moment that speaks to broader, long-term flaws in our complex and outdated financial system." FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://www.ed.gov/news/pressreleases/2008/05/05212008.html. (Note: The Administration is continuing to refine the pricing and conditions of these options to ensure they meet the requirement that they result in no net cost to the federal government. Final terms will be published in the *Federal Register*.)

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## NIES 2007

"The National Indian Education Study" (NIES) is a two-part study designed to describe the condition of education for American Indian/Alaska Native students in the U.S. (NIES was first conducted in 2005.) Part I, released last week, presents detailed information on the academic performance of American Indian/Alaska Native students on the 2007 National Assessment of Education Progress (NAEP) reading and math tests. In both fourth- and eighth-grade, the students had lower average scores and proficiency rates compared to all other students in the country and, aside from fourth-grade math, showed no significant change since 2005. Yet, their performance was not significantly different than the scores for all racial/ethnic groups (even exceeding the scores of African-American students on math). In both grades and subjects, American Indian/Alaska Native students also performed better if they attended schools with smaller concentrations of similar students (less than 25) and attended a public school -- versus a Bureau of Indian Education school. Part II, to be released this summer, is a survey of the educational experiences of American Indian/Alaska Native students, focused on the integration of native language and culture into school and classroom activities. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/NIES/.

## MORE FEDERAL RESEARCH

Check out these other federal studies:

- "Implementation Study of Smaller Learning Communities: Final Report" (http://www.ed.gov/rschstat/eval/other/small-communities/), from the Department's Office of Planning, Evaluation, and Policy Development (OPEPD), studied the implementation of the agency's Smaller Learning Communities (SLC) discretionary grant program. On the one hand, the data suggests an upward trend in the percentage of SLC students participating in extra-curricular activities, ninth-graders being promoted to tenth-grade, and graduating students planning to attend either two- or four-year colleges, as well as a downward trend in the incidence of violence. On the other hand, there were no significant trends observed in academic achievement.
- The latest results from the National Science Foundation's Math and Science Partnership Program (http://www.nsf.gov/news/news_summ.jsp?cntn_id=111514) show not only improved proficiency among all elementary and middle school students but also a closing of the achievement gaps between both African-American and Hispanic students and white students in elementary school math and between African-American and white students in elementary and middle school science.
- "Attrition of Public School Mathematics and Science Teachers" (http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2008077), from the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), indicates that the percentage of public school math and science teachers who left teaching did not change measurably between 1988-89 and 2004-05, even as the percentage of other public school teachers who left teaching did. When asked to rate various reasons for leaving teaching, greater percentages of math and science teachers than other teachers rated better salary or benefits as very or extremely important.

## U.S. HISTORY EDUCATION

The National History Education Clearinghouse (http://teachinghistory.org/), funded by a $7 million, five-year grant from the Department's Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII), is a one-stop so for accessing high-quality resources in K-12 U.S. history education. The clearinghouse provides hyperlinks to the most informative history content on the Internet. It also provides teaching resources and tools, such as guides to working with primary sources, lesson plan reviews, and models of exemplary teaching.

## QUOTES TO NOTE

"My friend Senator Ted Kennedy is a lionhearted champion for our nation's children. His decades of public service have inspired generations of Americans, including me. And his strong, outspoken leadership has helped to improve the quality of life for all of us. I join people across our country and around the world in sending my prayers to the Senator, his wife, and their entire family during this difficult time."

– Secretary of Education Margaret Spellings (5/19/08), on the Senator's diagnosis of a malignant tumor

"Education, in my opinion, is the key to democracy. It paves the way for a better understanding of the preset of principles acquainted with the democratic procedure. This, in turn, allows people to appreciate the benefits that come with democracy for both citizens and leaders of countries anywhere around the world.... No nation should ever fear freedom or what comes of it: knowledge and civic engagement."

– Secretary of Education Margaret Spellings (5/21/08), praising the U.A.E. for making the study of democracy part of its curriculum

## UPCOMING EVENTS

On Memorial Day, Monday, May 26, at 3:00 p.m. local time, Americans are asked to stop what they are doing and spend one minute in a Moment of Remembrance. The mid-afternoon time was chosen because it is when a majority of Americans are enjoying their freedoms on the holiday. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://www.remember.gov/.

On May 29, at 10:00 a.m. ET, NCES will release "The Condition of Education 2008." FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://nces.ed.gov/programs/coe/.

The next Scientific Evidence in Education (SEE) forum is scheduled for June 5 (11:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m. ET) at the U.S. Capitol, Room HC-5, in Washington, D.C. The topic? Transforming low-performing schools into successful learning environments. The forums are free, but space is limited, so register in advance online. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO http://www.seeforums.org/.

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**Subject:** Alaska Cruise Association Newsletter

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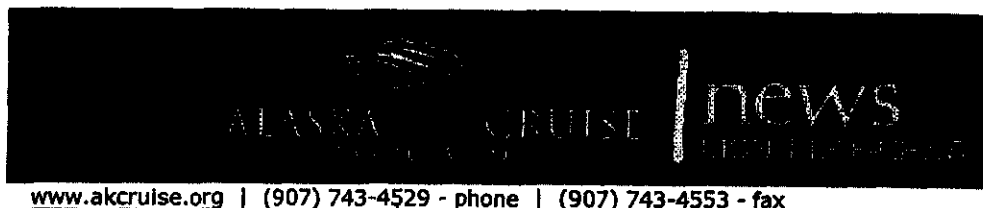
## :: Alaska travel promotion gets funding help

By Mike Bradner
Alaska Legislative Digest

Despite complaints voiced before the brief floor debate, the Senate unanimously passed HB-147, giving the Alaska Travel Industry Association a 20 percent reduction in the matching fund rate it must meet to access $9 million in state marketing support for the coming year. Sponsored by House Speaker Rep. John Harris...

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## :: Princess offers guest taste of Alaska

By Collaborative INSIGHTS

Regional sourcing of food and beverage product is one of the fastest growing changes talked about in the food media. Large and small companies alike are adopting the policies of local sourcing for a variety of reasons, including reducing carbon foot print, assuring fresher foods, supporting...

## :: Cruise industry supports 14,500 jobs, adds $1.35 billion to state economy

The seasonal cruise industry injected $1.35 billion into the Alaska economy in 2007, according to a new economic impact study conducted by McDowell Group.

Cruise passenger spending directly or indirectly accounted for half of the economic activity, followed by cruise line purchases and wages. The industry generated an estimated $100 million for state and local governments, with half going to the state and half to local governments.

Southeast Alaska receives about half (47 percent) of the total cruise passenger and cruise expenditures, followed by Southcentral Alaska with 26 percent and Interior/Other Alaska at 16 percent. Approximately 11 percent of expenditures have a statewide impact and cannot be attributed to any one region of the state.

The industry directly or indirectly supports an annual average of 14,500 full-time jobs in Alaska, including 7,000 in Southeast Alaska, 3,000 in Southcentral Alaska, 2,500 in Interior Alaska and 2,000...

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# Protecting Alaska

## :: Initial tests on seawater scrubber 'encouraging'

Initial results from the trial of a Krystallon seawater scrubber on Holland America Line's Zaandam confirm a significant reduction in both sulphur dioxide emissions and particulate matter, report the two...

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## :: Green motor coaches

Princess Tours has joined the Green Operators Motor Coach Council, a growing grassroots organization established to promote national awareness of coach travel as a green solution. Information on the organization is available at gocoach.org

## :: Tourism best management celebrates 12th successful year

Juneau's Tourism Best Management Practices (TBMP) program is a cooperative effort among residents, Juneau tour operators, cruise lines, transportation providers and the City and Borough of Juneau. The program, celebrating its 12th year,...

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## :: Stevens works to exempt Alaska from cruise rule

By Cruise Week

No official word yet, but well-placed sources tell Cruise Week that the government has reached a resolution in determining how they will interpret the foreign-flag cruise ship rule. "They've decided to limit enforcement of the Passenger Vessel Services Act (PVSA) to markets where there are large U.S.-flagged ships currently operating - and there's only one: Hawaii," one insider said. "So Alaska, Key West, Maine, etc. don't have to worry about changes."

All this follows a Senate Appropriations sub-committee hearing in which Sen. Ted Stevens (R-Alaska) chastised Homeland Security Secretary Michael Chertoff for taking so long to reach a decision. "There is no economy left in Southeast Alaska except tourism, and they all come in on these cruise ships," said Stevens, explaining...

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## :: No town in Alaska could meet cruise ship standards

The drinking water that comes from your faucet in Anchorage contains too much copper for cruise ships to discharge it back into Alaska waters. Ditto for tap water in Fairbanks. And in Wasilla.

A new Large Commercial Passenger Vessel Wastewater Discharge General Permit issued by the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation sets standards for some trace metals so high that no community in Alaska can meet them. Neither can the cruise ships, even those from companies that have spent more than $200 million developing the most advanced wastewater treatment systems in Alaska.

And that means less business for Alaska.

The permit requirement is part of the cruise ship initiative that voters approved in 2006. That initiative imposed a number of environmental...

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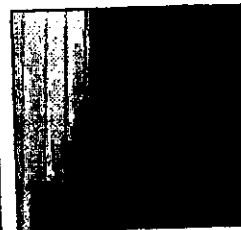
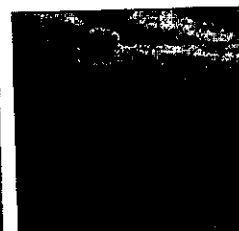

Donald Habeger of Royal Carribean Cruises speaks at the Ketchikan Chamber Luncheon and outlines the positive economic impacts the cruise industry has on Ketchikan and the State.

Work is nearing completion on Berth IV, the final part of the City of Ketchikan's Waterfront Rehabilitation. The new facilities will provide the City with the capability of concurrently berthing four cruise shipes up to 1,000 feet in length. The project includes dock extensions for the three existing berths as well as the installation of a new berth, which is owned by Ketchikan Dock Co. and Survey Point Holdings and managed by the City under a 30-year lease.

**From:** <ftb907@yahoo.com>
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**Cc:** "Kris Perry Yhoo" <krisandclark@yahoo.com>; "Todd Palin" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 2:12 PM
**Subject:** Video to the Troops

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**Cc:** "Todd Palin" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 4:27 PM
**Subject:** Re: Video to the Troops

Bob and Mark were there yesterday and talking about it on radio. Major props from them on it.
------Original Message------
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To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Kris Perry Yhoo
Cc: Todd Palin
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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com
**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 8:23 PM
**To:** Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey
**Subject:** Education

John brown and ken klunder will be in office on tuesday to see u, says my dad. They are valley correspondence educators, supporters of Lindas, friends of ours... They were told by whomever answers state phones that your plate was full, u couldn't see them, but they've decided to camp out at the office in hopes of catching u "for just five minutes" so says my dad. Evidently the correspondence program will be changed dramatically by Wednesday and the changes will adversely affect homeschoolers/christian schoolers, etc... They said they knew your kids were in a private school program so you'd understand how significant the issue is.

I'm happy to meet w them also and we need to make sure Larry LeDoux is kept in the loop once the folks tell us the issue. Evidently the changes "we" (?) are making results in losing 600 students from corr. program. Not good.

So let's look for them on tuesday. Thanks

Fb- this may be some action taken by bd of ed? So you in-the-loop is valuable too. Thanks

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**From:** Frye, Ivy J (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=IJFRYE]
**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 5:36 PM
**To:** 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'
**Subject:** Re: PR 08-079 Governor Palin Signs FY2009 Budgets 052308

Amen. I've been praying that your msg continues to be received positively. I'm confident you crafted fair and balanced budgets-i especially liked your leadership on operating cuts. Good work this week, governor.

Praying also that He continues to protect all of us from those who, no matter what we do, scheme against us. I hope you enjoy your weekend!! See you Monday. Ps-i luv my car.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com <gov.palin@yahoo.com>

To: Frye, Ivy J (GOV); Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>

Sent: Fri May 23 16:00:07 2008

Subject: Re: PR 08-079 Governor Palin Signs FY2009 Budgets 052308

Glad u like it - let's see what the public says... Thank you! Drive carefully - God be with you.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (GOV)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 23 May 2008 13:54:24

To:gov.palin@yahoo.com, ftb907@yahoo.com, krisandclark@yahoo.com

Subject: Fw: PR 08-079 Governor Palin Signs FY2009 Budgets 052308

Woo hoo! Nice job everybody.

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From: Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV) <jessalynn.rintala@alaska.gov>

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Cc: Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV)

Sent: Fri May 23 13:47:38 2008

Subject: PR 08-079 Governor Palin Signs FY2009 Budgets 052308

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Governor Palin Signs FY2009 Budgets

Vetoes $268 Million

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"In this time of unprecedented resource revenue, we have an opportunity to address needed deferred maintenance, transportation and infrastructure projects," Governor Palin said. "Alaska is blessed to invest in education, public safety and revenue sharing for our communities and citizens while putting a significant amount of surplus revenues into savings.

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**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 4:58 PM
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
**Subject:** Re: Lawsuit polar bears

Dear governor palin. Unrelated matter. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Sent: Tue May 20 17:55:39 2008

Subject: Re: Lawsuit polar bears

Thanks

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 20 May 2008 17:55:40

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Lawsuit polar bears

Dear governor palin. I spoke to mr nizich about it an hour ago. I think he and mr Katz and mr Daugherty are working on it. Talis.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Katz, John W (GOV); Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Tue May 20 17:50:44 2008

Subject: Lawsuit polar bears

We need to get the word out on our intent to sue before we release AGIA findings this week. Our pro-development folks who'll criticize AGIA will at least then have something to unite with us on... so let's get that presser out tomorrow.

Alaskans in general will be anxious to hear what the plan is to protect this state.

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**From:** gov.palin@yahoo.com
**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 4:00 PM
**To:** Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo
**Subject:** Re: PR 08-079 Governor Palin Signs FY2009 Budgets 052308

Glad u like it - let's see what the public says... Thank you! Drive carefully - God be with you.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (GOV)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 23 May 2008 13:54:24

To:gov.palin@yahoo.com, ftb907@yahoo.com, krisandclark@yahoo.com

Subject: Fw: PR 08-079 Governor Palin Signs FY2009 Budgets 052308

Woo hoo! Nice job everybody.

----- Original Message -----

From: Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV) <jessalynn.rintala@alaska.gov>

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Cc: Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV)

Sent: Fri May 23 13:47:38 2008

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**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 12:32 PM
**To:** Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
**Cc:** Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
**Subject:** Re: Christine Klein / DOT

Thank you

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 23 May 2008 09:29:50

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Christine Klein / DOT

Governor:

Mike Nizich and I spoke with Leo this morning. In a nutshell, Leo is moving Frank completely off of the airport negotiating team and back to highways. This frees Frank up to prepare for special session issues, like repairs and upgrades to the Dalton Highway, and to focus on roads issues.

Christine will be on the negotiating team. Leo said that just as he did with Frank and John Torgerson, he will make final decisions on negotiating terms. I think this gets Christine all the normal areas of responsibility a Deputy Commissioner of aviation would usually have.

Leo said he was already working on these changes before we called.

Randy

**Unknown**

**From:** Mike Gretchen [mgstoddard@gci.net]
**Sent:** Saturday, May 24, 2008 1:33 PM
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)
**Subject:** THANK YOU! Re: Support Elementary School computer lab- Turnagain Elementary

Thank you so much not vetoeing support for the Turnagain Elementary computer lab!

The parents have tried fundraising, and it is expensive to bring an old school with no computer facilities or wiring even up to a point where one class at a time can use the computers. After a successful year of fundraising in 2006- 2007, we did finally have 20 computers for students at the school, but still not a complete set for a full class. We appreciate your support!

Thank you!
Gretchen Stoddard
Anchorage

----- Original Message -----
**From:** Mike Gretchen
**To:** 'governor@alaska.gov' ; 'karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov'
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 13, 2008 8:50 PM
**Subject:** Support Elementary School computer lab- Turnagain Elementary

Please do not veto money for the Turnagain Elementary school computer lab that is currently in SB 221.

I know there are a number of schools asking for computer money. Generally, I support this spending to bring technology to our children. I feel that computer skills are an area that will be critical for our children to learn. However, schools are going to find it difficult to allocate funds for computers because they are expensive, and these skills are not specifically tested on standardized tests. I feel this is not an area that parents can hold bake sales to buy computers for the schools, and it is unlikely that school districts will specificially allocate funds to this area. I think computers and learning software in the schools will improve the education of our children, and I hope the state will fund these areas.

Specifically, I support funding for Turnagain elementary and I recognize that we need government help to begin to bring these computers to my son's school. Our school is one of the oldest schools in Anchorage & probably one of the older schools still operating in Alaska. We have only a tiny fraction of the average number of computers in an Anchorage school. The parents have tried fundraising, and it is too expensive to bring an old school with no computer facilities or wiring even up to a point where one class at a time can use the computers. Last year, the parents group did fundraising activities & more fundraising activities. We successfully raised over $20,000, and we still don't have a full set of computers so that each student in a class can use the computer. These computers and reading software sets are very popular with specialists or someone. After all this fundraising, my son's class was not able to schedule one session with the computers.

As I said before, I hope the state will fund these areas. Without state assistance, I don't see computers coming to my son's school until we have a bond package and I am not hopeful that will happen anytime soon.

Wow, this was the first time I have actually looked through all the appropriations in one of these bills. Good luck sorting that out!

-Gretchen

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**From:** Goode, Kelly C (GOV) [kelly.goode@alaska.gov]

**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 5:04 PM

**To:** Mason; Janice L (GOV); 'krisandclark@yahoo.com'; 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; Morgan; Katryn L (GOV)

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Thanks to all. Have a terrific weekend.

Kelly

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Kelly – thank you. I have added to Governor's calendar and will await details. Janice

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**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 11:43 AM
**To:** Smith; Lynne M (GOV)
**Subject:** FW: Last Day to Register for the 21st Annual Export Alaska Celebration Luncheon

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**From:** World Trade Center Alaska [mailto:info@wtcak.org]
**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 10:56 AM
**To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
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*Reserve Your Seat Today!*

**21st Annual Export Alaska Celebration Luncheon**

Tuesday, May 27, 2008 - Egan Convention Center

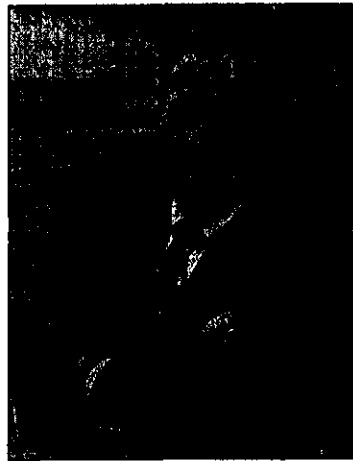
Dear WTCAK Members, Community Partners, and Friends of the Center:

I hope you have already made your reservation for the upcoming **21st Annual Export Alaska Luncheon**. Based on the success of last year's event, we fully anticipate that this year's luncheon will be a sold-out event. If you haven't contacted us yet, please do so today to ensure your participation. Consider sponsoring a table and invite your customers and staff to join you. Whether you sponsor a table, or just need a few seats, submit your reservation today while you are thinking about it. We look forward to hearing from you!

Best Regards,

Greg Wolf
Executive Director

Conducted by the **Export Council of Alaska** and **World Trade Center Alaska**, this annual gathering is the major international trade event of the year. Join us in celebrating the success of Alaskans that have excelled in various aspects of international business and relations.

**Governor Sarah Palin** (confirmed), will use the occasion to announce winners of the newly launched **Governor's North Star Awards for International Excellence.** Also, the Export Council will award scholarships to student achievers pursuing a career in the international arena.

**United States Senator Ted Stevens (confirmed) will be the keynote speaker. As the ranking Minority Member of the Senate Commerce Committee, his remarks will focus on Alaska's global trade picture, a subject with which he is keenly familiar.**

You can count on the luncheon to be both an enjoyable and memorable event. Mark your calendar and make your reservation today, while you are thinking about it.

You can reserve a **table (8 seats) for $500.** A reserved table enables you to invite colleagues and customers and be assured of sitting together regardless of time of arrival at the event. Reserved table also receives preferred placement to ensure a good view of the podium.

Or, you can purchase **individual seats for $40 each**. We anticipate a sold-out event and encourage you to make your reservation today. A reservation form is attached (please click here to download the form) for your convenience. Major credit cards and cheques are accepted.

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**Date: Tuesday, May 27, 2008**

**Time: 12 Noon-1:30 p.m.**

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For more information please contact us at 907-278-7233 or by e-mail: info@wtcak.org

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**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 9:00 AM
**To:** Mason; Janice L (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
**Cc:** Todd; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
**Subject:** King air

I'll need king air the first few days of sp sess. Did that get ok'd?

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 23 May 2008 16:48:28

To:"Janice Mason" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Cc:"Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Subject: Denby

Pls tell him I'm still planning on visit for four to Katmai. Pls note on July sched.

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**From:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com
**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 8:58 AM
**To:** Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
**Cc:** Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
**Subject:** Presser

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**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 8:15 AM
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
**Subject:** Fw: Your Questions on ANC

Oops there was a misspelled addy for you in this original email.

----- Original Message -----

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

To: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)

Cc: 'gov.sarah@alaska.gov' <gov.sarah@alaska.gov>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Sent: Fri May 23 08:13:28 2008

Subject: Re: Your Questions on ANC

Thanks much for the background on this Randy. I'm not convinced all info is flowing back to Frank through the Airport Dir as I heard a slightly different story earlier in the year but I'll touch bases with you on that.

----- Original Message -----

From: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)

To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Cc: gov.sarah@alaska.gov <gov.sarah@alaska.gov>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)

Sent: Fri May 23 07:27:56 2008

Subject: FW: Your Questions on ANC

Frank:

I asked Frank Richards at DOT to provide some background information on the 4th runway issue. It's a bit moot since the work on the EIS has been voluntarily suspended by DOT. But it appears in January, 2008, the airlines told DOT the EIS work could move forward and there were 40 or so meetings between DOT and the airlines, community councils, and the public before the most recent one where the protesters showed up. This probably explains why DOT felt surprised at that meeting.

I think fuel prices have roughly doubled since January and shrinking profit margins are probably causing the airlines to re-evaluate all their capital budget plans. It's interesting the airlines chose to communicate that to DOT during a public meeting instead

of a letter or phone call, but that is their right. If air traffic increases as DOT thinks it could based on recent statements from UPS and Cathay Pacific about adding flights, DOT may have to revisit the issue or find another solution like more use of the Fairbanks airport.

Randy

Kelly:

Should I call Hollis and Lindsey to explain the background and DOT's decision? They are probably unaware of the statements by the airlines in January, 2008, to allow DOT to move forward with the EIS work or the number of previous meetings held on the airport master plan.

Randy

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From: Richards, Frank T (DOT)

Sent: Fri 5/23/2008 6:29 AM

To: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)

Cc: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Von Scheben, Leo (DOT)

Subject: RE: Your Questions on ANC

- Randy,

Below are answers to your questions regarding the N-S R/W at ANC.

Frank

Identify when and where the airlines agreed to move forward with the EIS scoping phase

In the airlines January 9, 2008 proposal regarding the "ANC New Runway," the airlines proposed that "the EIS process or other planning can start immediately provided that it is funded through the Development Fund or other non-rate-based funding source." In the proposal dated January 14, 2008, the airlines modified that position, stating "The planning and design necessary to complete the EIS process can start immediately and can be funded out of the rate base."

The State negotiators understood there was agreement in concept to fund the EIS using $2.5M of existing operating agreement (O/A) approval and $2M of new O/A approval during operating agreement negotiations. The airlines also agreed that the airport fund the new R/W design and LOI preparation, providing Development Funds are used for the State match portion. They have subsequently changed their position again and went back to insistence first that only non rate-based funds (AIP and Development Fund) be used for the EIS, design or LOI preparation, to which the State agreed.

- Identify the funding sources for EIS phase

$2.5M under existing O/A approval within Capital Projects Category A09 and $2M of new O/A approval was planned before the Airlines rescinded their proposal. 93.75% of this would have come from FAA AIP Funds (Cargo Entitlements) and 6.75% from AIAS Development Funds. Runway and taxiway environmental work plainly falls within the description of the A09 project, but the Airlines have argued that they did not intend for that to apply that to a whole new runway.

- Identify how many public meeting have been held during Master Plan process and how many will likely be held during EIS process

During the Master Plan, there have been 46 total meetings with the public including 3 public meetings, 12 meetings with Community Councils, 6 Technical Advisory Group meetings, 4 Airline meetings, 3 Agency meetings, and 3 meetings with interest groups such as the trail users. The EIS process will be conducted by the FAA, which will decide, together with its NEPA contractor, what public meetings are required. A NEPA process that is controversial automatically gets additional public process.

- Identify why we think the airlines are opposing the project

The airlines that have expressed concern about the project primarily due to impacts to the rates and fees. Their vision is near sighted due to the difficult current business environment they are operating in. Concerns about problems 5 or more years from now are low on their list of priorities. Their primary concern is reducing near-term costs without a vision of the impacts of that on future operations, or the very long lead-time necessary even to make this type of decision for when economic conditions have improved.

- Identify our rationale for moving forward to EIS

AIAS has not begun moving forward with the EIS and will not, until, it has selected a preferred alternative that is approved by the FAA. When FAA is comfortable with the Purpose and Need and preferred alternative they will hire a consultant and commence with the EIS. Unlike the Master Plan, which is conducted and managed by the Airport, the EIS will be conducted and managed by the FAA. The reason for proceeding now is that this type of project takes a very long time just for environmental and design work. If we wait until the need is more apparent due to improved economic conditions, we may be too late to prevent the projected dire congestion that will result.

- Identify the project nomination and airline approval process for this project

The Project Nomination forms for the N-S Runway (attached), were submitted to the airlines

along with the Project Nomination forms for all proposed new operating agreement CIP projects. These were presented to the AAAC Committee in December 2007 in advance of the January 9 & 10 operating agreement negotiation meetings.

- and any other information that is relevant to give the Governor the full story on this issue.

ANC's 2002 master plan identified the need for a new N/S runway. Per FAA requirements AIAS is updating the master plan.

Attached is a comparison of what ANC charges for terminal rental fees and landing fees versus other destinations. ANC has worked hard to keep rates and fees low and what has greatly contributed to this is the steady increase of cargo activity. It is important to note that just yesterday ANC staff participated in an airline technical meeting (part of the Master Plan) where a representative from UPS told us that their business was going to double in 3 years and that they would choose Runway alternative(s) 2 or 3 from the Master Plan . Today over 70% of ANC's revenue comes from the cargo sector. Cathy Pacific just increased their cargo flights from 70 to 90 per week.

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**From:** Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 7:45 AM
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
**Cc:** 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'
**Subject:** Re: Sched

I will mark as TENT. It is just an FYI - no expectations for you. Janice

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Sent using BlackBerry

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Sent: Fri May 23 07:03:20 2008

Subject: Re: Sched

J-pls note on sched it's tent so security doesn't feel need to plan to be there. Thanks

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From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 23 May 2008 07:04:00

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Cc:fek9wnr@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Sched

Still tentative.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Sent: Fri May 23 06:58:03 2008

Subject: Sched

Is monday's event a confirmed event now? Hopefully it's still tentative so there's not an official expectation that requires security, speech, etc.

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**From:** Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
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**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 2:08 PM

**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Goode; Kelly C (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV)

**Subject:** AP budget story

# Gov. Palin vetoes capital projects

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP) _ Gov. Sarah Palin has vetoed scores of public works projects around the state.

Palin's vetoes totaling more than a quarter billion dollars were made public on Friday _ the deadline for her to sign the budget.

Palin struck $268 million in roads, school improvements and other local projects from a nearly $3 billion budget that lawmakers approved last month.

**Palin warned lawmakers there would be vetoes.** She said they had failed to build a fiscally prudent plan.

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**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 4:53 PM

**To:** 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'

**Subject:** FW: Letter to Governor Palin

**Importance:** High

Sorry, Governor, wrong address – please see message below.

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**From:** Goode, Kelly C (GOV)
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**Subject:** FW: Letter to Governor Palin
**Importance:** High

Governor,

Attached is a letter from President Green requesting the abortion bills be added to the call. It appears similar to the conversation you had with the Senator earlier this month.

Talk to you later.

Kelly

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**Sent:** Friday, May 23, 2008 4:36 PM
**To:** Goode, Kelly C (GOV)
**Subject:** Letter to Governor Palin
**Importance:** High

Kelly,

Please deliver this letter to Governor Palin. It is from President Green and is about the two abortion bills.

Thanks,

Jeff Turner
Senate Majority Press Secretary
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Anchorage LIO (907) 269-0257

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